

11 September 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Administration

SUBJECT

: Proposed Executive Order

1. What follows are my comments on the draft of your memorandum to the Director and suggested changes to the proposed Executive Order.

a. Change the last three lines of the introductory paragraph of your memorandum to read as follows:

> of the CIA as received from the White House on 9 September. We recommend the following changes be made. A revised version of the proposed Executive Order incorporating these changes is attached.

b. On page 3 of your memorandum, change line 9 of Section 14 to read:

of United States criminal laws may be transmitted." (To permit the

c. I believe that Section 15 should be recast as follows:

Section 15: Any information currently in the possession of CIA about United States citizens, the collection or retention of which would not have been permitted under Sections 13 or 14 of this Order, shall be disposed of in accordance with the provisions of law and procedures authorized by the Director of Central Intelligence, except to allow the retention of only those records as the Attorney General may determine are required for possible judicial proceedings.

If you accept this proposal, your memorandum and the revised version of the Executive Order would have to be changed to conform.

2. I suggest that you add a concluding paragraph to your memorandum as follows:

After you have decided on these proposed revisions, I can prepare a memorandum to General Scowcroft transmitting your comments.

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